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Honorable Raymond J. Dearie
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

**Re: United States v. Annis Lloyd**
**14 Cr. 557 (RJD)**

Dear Judge Dearie:

As the court is aware I was assigned to represent Mr. Lloyd on a Violation of Supervised Release. Since the last court appearance I have spoken with him on two occasions and I have spoken with the Probation Officer.

A few minutes ago I reached Mr. Lloyd who had tried to call me yesterday and we exchanged message until we finally spoke at about 3:30 this afternoon. After generally complaining about his situation, he began a tirade of accusations and curses directed towards me and my representation of him. It was very hostile and bordered on threats, although I think most of that was directed towards his probation officer he lumped me in with his displeasure. I have been unsuccessful in having him come to the office to discuss his situation and today's episode, which was very much over the top and hostile, indicates to me both by the nature of the language and his own words that he does not wish me to continue as his lawyer. He also believes that I am "working with the court" and not for him.

There is currently a court appearance scheduled on May 31 at 11 a.m. A few weeks ago his probation officer, Mr. Green, called me and I thought he was suggesting that he intended to request an adjournment of that date, although I have heard nothing since then. Currently, I intend to appear as scheduled and request to be relieved.

Respectfully,

/S/ Lee Ginsberg
Lee Ginsberg

cc: Lauren Elbert, Esq. AUSA